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Akira Ogino : Group Art Unit: 2623  
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Preliminary to the initiation of prosecution of the above-identified pending U.S. patent application, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted.

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## AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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